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Thursday, November 1, 2012, Downtown Memphis, TN – For the third consecutive year, the Downtown Memphis Commission is partnering with 5R Processors Ltd. to celebrate America Recycles Day with a **Downtown Electronics Recycling Drive** on **Thursday, November 15** from **3 – 6:30pm** at the **Central Station pavilion** (Front and GE Patterson).

Acceptable items include computers, televisions, printers, cameras, cell phones, VCRs, and CD/DVD players. A complete list of acceptable items can be found online at http://www.5rprocessors.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=97&Itemid=130. Most items can be recycled free of charge. Fees will be applied for the following items:

- Wood console TVs, \$30
- Projection TVs, \$30
- Wooden speakers, \$10
- TVs or computer monitors with broken glass, \$10
- Bare CRT tubes, \$10

All computer hard drives will be cleaned using Department of Defense-approved processes, and a certificate of hard-drive cleaning will be available, if desired, for \$10 per drive.

This event is open to the public, and there is no limit to the number of items that an individual or business can bring for recycling.

The Downtown Electronics Recycling Drive is presented by Downtown Memphis Commission, 5R Processors Ltd., and MATA.



Volunteers are needed to help unload cars on event day. For more information, contact:

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www.downtownmemphis.com

5R Processors, Ltd. specializes in providing full service materials processing and electronic recycling services.

www.5rprocessors.com

Memphis Area Transit Authority (MATA) is the largest transit operator in the state of Tennessee, serving four (4) cities in Shelby County and West Memphis in Arkansas.

www.matatransit.com

America Recycles Day is the only nationally recognized day dedicated to the promotion of recycling programs in the United States.

www.americarecyclesday.org